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8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

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8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane, ragi, paddy, avare, togari, and horse-gram are being harvested in the several parts of the District.

10. Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Fodder and water are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops such as paddy, ragi and sugar-cane, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Ragi, kulthi and togari are being harvested in Bowringpet Taluk. Paddy is being harvested in Chintamani and Srinivaspur Taluks.

Sugar-cane is being milled in Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli Taluks and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

10. *Prospects of the season* are fair. Prices of food grains are stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of black quarter in parts of Chintamani, Chikballapur and Bagepalli Taluks, and anthrox in parts of Chintamani Taluk and rinderpest in parts of Srinivaspur Taluk.

Pasture, water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanahalli and Kunigal Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Madhugiri and Gubbi Taluks, thogari in parts of Chiknayakanahalli and Gubbi Taluks, horse gram in parts of Chiknayakanahalli, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks, castor in parts of Chiknayakanahalli, Tiptur, Kunigal and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk and paddy in parts of Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks: yield 8 to 10 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Madhugiri, Pavagada, Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, jola in parts of Madhugiri, sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, Madhugiri and Kunigal Taluks. Horsegram in parts of Pavagada Taluk, castor in Kunigal Taluk and Bengal gram in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Except for the prevalence of foot and mouth diseases and rinderpest in parts of Tiptur Taluk and blackquarter in parts of Kunigal Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy in all parts of the District. The Veterinary Inspectors are reported to have been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Nanjangud Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, avare, jola, kadale, black and green grams, horse gram, sugar-cane, castor, cotton, mulberry are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Kadale in parts of Nanjangud, paddy, ragi, togari, ramtil and avare in parts of Krishnarajpete. Horse gram, samey and navaney in parts of Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Fair.

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11. (1) Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Dodroga in Heggavadi Soothuru and Hallekerehundi of Chamrajnagar Taluk, in Halebeedu of Hunsur Taluk, and in Haralahalli and Santhebachahalli of Krishnarajpete Taluk. The Superintendent of Civil Veterinary Department, has been written to take preventive measures.

(2) Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the Hassan, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; kadale in the Hassan, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; Kodepadddy in the Manjarabad Taluk and Karpaddy in the Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in good condition

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Arkalgud, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; paddy in the Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; sugar-cane in the Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; kadale in the Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and castor in the Channarayapatna Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for "Rinderpest" in the Grama village, Kadadaravalli village in the Salagame Hobli, Dvaranahalli in the Kattaya Hobli in the Hassan Taluk and in the Barthur village, Alur Sub-Taluk and for "Foot and Mouth disease" in the Jodi Kuppe village and Hanathanamane village, Alur Sub-Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors are reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the Taluks of Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab and Sagar and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane is being planted in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the Taluks of Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi, cotton and bilejola in the Channagiri Taluk and Bengal gram in the Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks, are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being milled in all the Taluks and the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi; ragi, jola, avare, wheat, navane, save and horse gram in the Honnali Taluk, ragi in the Sorab Taluk and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and horse gram in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk are being harvested during the week.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be fair. Food grains are available and their prices are satisfactory.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Rinderpest and Foot and Mouth disease in some parts of the Tirthahalli Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is addressed to take remedial measures in the matter.

Fodder and water are reported to be available.

KADUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. 1. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

2. *Crops sown.*—Kode-paddy is being sown in parts of Chikmagalur Taluk.

3. *Standing crops.*—Chikmagalur Taluk—Sugar-cane and Bengal gram, Kadur Taluk—Bengal gram, sugar-cane, jola and wheat. Tarikere Taluk—Sugar-cane, jola, Bengal gram, black gram and wheat. Koppa Taluk—Areca, coffee and sugar-cane. Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—Sugar-cane and coffee.

The standing crops are thriving well.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Sugar-cane, Bengal gram and coriander. Tarikere Taluk—Coffee and castor. Koppa Taluk—Areca, coffee and sugar-cane. Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—Areca and coffee. Sringeri—Areca.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy. But Rinderpest prevails in Mallapura, Santhekerehalli villages of Kadur Taluk, Magundi and Hanthur villages in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and Sringeri Town. Foot and Mouth disease prevails in Aldur, Devadana, Kunnalu, Huyigere, Hosahalli and Shirabadagi villages of Chikmagalur Taluk, in Bidare Hobli of Kadur Taluk and Narasimharajapura Town and its surrounding villages.

Water and fodder are available.

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8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. 1. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and harvesting operations are going on in the District.

Standing crops, viz.—Kadle, navane, bilijola, sugar-cane, cotton, paddy, chillies, wheat, castor, onions, tobacco, are reported to be in good condition.

3. *Seeds sown.*— Nil.

4. *Crops harvested.*—(In the Taluks of) Chitaldrug—Kadle and navane. Challakere—Horse gram, togari and cotton, (8 annas). Holalkere—Kadle, sugar-cane and bilijola (8 annas). Davangere—Sugar-cane, kadle and togari (10 annas). Molakalmuru—Sugar-cane and cotton (8 annas). Jagalur—Sugar-cane and cotton (8 annas). Harihar Sub-Taluk—Kadle and cotton (8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" in parts of Chitaldrug, Holalkere, Davangere and Molakalmuru Taluks and "Foot and Mouth" disease in parts of Challakere, Holalkere, Davangere and Jagalur Taluks. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors attached to the taluks are taking needful action.

Water and fodder are available.

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